

1-1 By: Kolkhorst S.B. No. 986
 1-2 (In the Senate - Filed February 21, 2019; March 1, 2019,
 1-3 read first time and referred to Committee on Business & Commerce;
 1-4 April 8, 2019, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 9,
 1-5 Nays 0; April 8, 2019, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-17 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
 1-18 AN ACT

1-19 relating to contract management standards and information for
 1-20 contracts related to emergency management.

1-21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-22 SECTION 1. Subchapter B, Chapter 2262, Government Code, is
 1-23 amended by adding Section 2262.056 to read as follows:

1-24 Sec. 2262.056. STANDARDS FOR CONTRACTS RELATED TO EMERGENCY
 1-25 MANAGEMENT. (a) The comptroller shall update the contract
 1-26 management guide to include contract management standards and
 1-27 information for contracts related to emergency management.

1-28 (b) The comptroller shall develop the standards described
 1-29 by Subsection (a) in consultation with the Texas Division of
 1-30 Emergency Management, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, Texas
 1-31 A&M Engineering Extension Service, and local governmental
 1-32 entities.

1-33 (c) The guide must include:

1-34 (1) preferred contracting standards;

1-35 (2) information on contracts for services that may be
 1-36 necessary to respond to a natural disaster or to construct, repair,
 1-37 or rebuild property or infrastructure after a natural disaster,
 1-38 including clearing debris and providing information management
 1-39 services and construction services; and

1-40 (3) advice on preparing for a natural disaster,
 1-41 including procedures to assist a state agency with contracting for
 1-42 services described by Subdivision (2) before a natural disaster
 1-43 occurs.

1-44 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.

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